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EQUITABLE BLOCK BURNS TO GROUND

Three Lives Are Lost and Another Death Reported.

LOSS IS ABOUT $1,000,000

Building Was Antiquated and Soon to Be Torn Down—Fire Started from Gasoline Explosion in Cafe.

New York, Jan. 10.—The nine-story building of the Equitable Life Assurance Company society of 190 Broadway, was destroyed by fire.

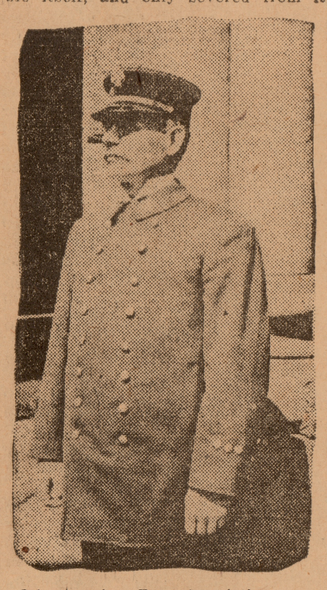
Three men lost their lives by leaping from the roof, and it is said that another was killed in one of the vaults.

Deputy Chief William Walsh was imprisoned in the building after leading a company of his men into it and he is believed to be dead in the ruins.

The actual property loss, say the officials, is about $1,000,000. For hours stock exchange transactions, even the price of stocks, were affected. The fire brought a demoralization hitherto unknown in New York's money center. The actual money loss was comparatively slight, provided, that is, that the Equitable's securities, the securities of the Gould and Harriman estates and the stocks and bonds owned by the Thomas F. Ryan estate, Kuhn, Loeb & Co., August Belmont company, William A. Read and others were not charred or injured in the steel vaults where they were stored. Even the Equitable people do not mourn the building. They were going to tear it down soon anyway, and figured its actual value to the stock and policy holders as precisely nothing.

It was outworn and antiquated and the cost of demolishing it would have been far more, the society's officials say, than the loss of furnishings and equipment. Figuring that way, the society places its loss at only $250,000.

The fire started in the rear of the Cafe Saverin, the celebrated bar and restaurant so long run by the Equitable itself, and only severed from it



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FIRE CHIEF KENLON.

after the insurance investigation. An investigation by Fire Marshal John P. Prial, Assistant Fire Marshal Edward F. Croker, and Assistant Fire Marshal Ledyard, developed that it originated probably in a wooden stairway near the elevator shaft in the back of the cafe. A cigarette, carelessly discarded, was suggested by Former Chief Croker as the origin, but E. E. Rittenhouse, speaking for President Day of the Equitable said that the best information he could get was that the start was in a storeroom used by the Saverin, and that there had been an explosion of gasoline. A gasoline stove was in the store room.

What angered the fire department heads and brought sharp comment from Croker was that there was an unnecessary delay of half an hour in summoning the firemen. Investigation developed that the cooks of the Cafe Saverin had gone to work two hours before the alarm was turned in. They were on the job with fires going at 4:30 a. m. The first alarm was turned in at 5:30 a. m. People on the street knew a few minutes after 5 o'clock that there was a blaze somewhere in the Equitable and told policemen about it, but the policemen were told when they ran in and saw Equitable employes turning water into a blazing room to go away, that the engine crew could put out the fire without any help. That led to the delay of half an hour and gave the fire a chance to spread upward, mushroom through the top floors and get a downward start.

NOTICE.

Important meeting of Poultry Association at Masonic Temple this evening at 7:30. O. W. Burgess, Sec.

Dean's Rheumatic Pills absolutely cure Rheumatism & Neuralgia. Entirely vegetable. Sold

DETECTED BY FLASH LIGHT

Two Youths Caught Robbing Store in Marine City.

Port Huron, Mich., Jan. 10. — The flash of a searchlight in Zimmerman Bros.' hardware store, Marine City, caused the arrest of George Burns and Harvey Dailey. Burns was arrested in the store and Dailey was picked up on the street later. They were brought to Port Huron by Deputy Sheriff Grant Auch and will be charged with burglary.

All the articles taken were such as would be likely to be used on a bandit career. A gun, searchlight and other wild west paraphernalia were stolen. Burns is nineteen and Dailey twenty years old.

MUCH WORK IS NECESSARY FOR SKATE CARNIVAL

The skating carnival, under the auspices of the Ypsilanti Hockey club, will be held on the evening of January 19, instead of Jan. 12, as first planned. The boys will need to sell 150 tickets themselves in order to insure its success. These may be bought of any of the following members of the team: H. Smith, Robbins, Langton, Weinberg, Fletcher, W. Davis, Proctor, Beyer, C. Lewis, Emery, T. Jefferson or Geoffrey Jefferson.

The Ypsilanti boys will meet some boys from the U. of M. in a game on Saturday of this week at 2:30 at the rink.

Considerable interest in this sport has been already manifested in Ypsilanti. The equipment needed by the players consists only of skates, shin guards and hockey sticks, so that the cost is slight.

HEAVY PLOW FALLS ON EMPLOYEE'S HAND WITH PAINFUL RESULT

Ossy Howard met with an accident at the D., J. & C. power house Tuesday which will incapacitate him for a time at least. While attempting to lower a snow plow from above where it was kept in the car barns, the plow fell and struck his hand, breaking a number of the small bones. Although the injury is very painful nothing any more serious is anticipated.

GRANGE IN GOOD CONDITION

REPORTS OF POMONA OFFIVERS SHOW SUCCESSFUL YEAR—GOOD FUTURE OUTLOOK.

Pomona Grange held its annual meeting Tuesday at Masonic Temple in this city. Certain business contemplated by the grange was rendered impossible of transaction owing to certain contingencies. The reports rendered by the officers showed that the grange was in prosperous condition. Reports of the state grange at Kalamazoo were given by Arthur Lyons and by J. E. Warner. Representative Kalmbach of Chelsea gave a short speech. A picnic dinner was served at noon.

FIRE EFFECTS LOSS OF PROPERTY AMOUNTING TO $2,00 ON SMITH FARM.

The house on the old Smith farm in Pittsfield township, belonging to Chas. Bargdill of Ann Arbor and occupied by Jesse Gordon, caught fire from a defective flue about 7:30 Tuesday morning and burned to the ground. Nothing was saved except a few articles of furniture, and it is estimated that the loss was over $2,000.

FOR ALL H. S. MUSICIANS

MISS GIBERSON WILL ARRANGE ELABORATE PROGRAM FOR SPRING ENTERTAINMENT.

A concert which shall include all the musical organizations of the Ypsilanti high school is being planned by the music supervisor, Miss Grace Giberson, for a date in March. The high school chorus, the orchestra and the two glee clubs will appear on this occasion. Mr. Harper Maybee, formerly of Ypsilanti and now director of music in the Mt. Pleasant Normal, will probably be the soloist.

XMAS CAROLS.

Thursday evening Xmas Carols will be repeated commencing at 7:45 in Normal Hall. Admission, 10 cents.

Write, phone or ask O. W. Burgess or L. M. Olds about Ypsilanti's Big Poultry Show. 113*

K.P. MEN PLAN SHOW

MINSTREL PRODUCTION IS NEXT IN ORDER OF PROGRESSIVE ARRANGEMENTS

Attendance Contest Is Closed With Big Banquet and Appropriate Speeches

In the way of following up the progressive spirit shown by the Knights of Pythias the past few weeks it has been decided that a ministrel show be presented by them some time in March, the exact date not yet being determined. A committee which was appointed at the meeting Monday night will hold a meeting today to make further arrangements in regard to it.

The attendance contest banquet, which has been looked forward to with so much anticipation for the past few weeks, was held Monday evening, the losers being the hosts. Covers were laid for 100. M. J. Rust was toastmaster and those responding were: Fred L. Gallup, Alec Boutell, Walter Tripp, Dr. F. G. Hutton, Don. J. Lawrence, H. E. VanDeWalker and Past Supreme Chancellor of the World Phillip Colgrove.

The officers as installed were: Chancelor Commander, J. D. Lawrence; vice chancelor, L. M. Olds; prelate, G. L. Hand; master of work, A. E. Lewis; keeper of finances, Chas. Seeger; master of exchequer, Milo Gage; keeper of records and seals, Guy Flowers; master at arms, Louis Smith; inner guard, William Coats; outer guard, Adelbert Nichols. The installing officer was Alec Boutell.

SCHOOL OFFICERS TO MEET

DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION WILL DISCUSS IMPORTANT TOPICS

Deputy Superintendent of Public Instruction, Fred L. Keeler, will be in Ann Arbor, January 16th to hold a School Officers' meeting. It is very desirable that every district, rural, village, and city should send one of its officers.

The law provides that the director shall attend and that he shall be paid two dollars per day and his expenses.

Mr. Keeler will discuss the new school legislation and other topics that may come up.

The meeting will be held in the Court Room and will begin at 10 o'clock and every one is welcome.

On Monday, February 12th will be held a County Teachers' Institute and Rally. Ex-State Superintendent O. T. Corson of Columbus, Ohio and the Hon. H. R. Pattengill of Lansing will be the speakers on that occasion. The meeting will be held in the Ann Arbor high school. Every teacher in the County is expected to be in Ann Arbor on February 12th.

COMMITTEES ABE NAMED

CLEARY FELLOWSHIP MEMBERS CHOOSE REPRESENTATIVES FOR SOCIAL IMPROVEMENT.

At a meeting of the official board of the Cleary Fellowship, Tuesday evening, Miss Minnie Lambie, Miss Rose Miller and L. G. Stedman were appointed as a social committee for the ensuing three months. They will have charge of the Friday evening reception. Church committees as follows were also appointed: M. E., Miss Joslyn, Mr. DeGraw; Presbyterian, Mr. Hanham, Miss Jarrett; Baptist, Mr. Facer, Miss DeGarmo; Congregational, Mr. Brown, Miss Cleary; Catholic, Miss Druillard; German Lutheran, Miss Landwehr, Mr. Duckwitts; Episcopal, Mr. Hall, Miss Kloffenstein. An additional member for the Catholic committee, also committees for the other denominations of the city will be appointed later.

LECTURE ON EARLY MICHIGAN HISTORY THURSDAY AFTERNOON

A lecture to be given Thursday at 4:30 in Ann Arbor may be of interest to the clubs in Ypsilanti that are making a study just now of the early history of this state. At that hour in the high school auditorium, there will be a free lecture given under the auspices of the Ann Arbor Chapter of the D. A. R. on "Early Michigan History."

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WILLIAM A. DAY

President of Equitable Whose Building Burned.

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DETAILS ARE FURNISHED

Ortie McManigal Supplements His First Confession.

Pays More Attention This Time to Methods of Transporting Dynamite Over Country.

Indianapolis, Jan. 10.—Ortie McManigal, the confessed dynamiter who is here to testify before the federal grand jury, made another detailed confession, and it was taken down by a stenographer.

In the confesson secured from him by Detective Burns the dynamiter dealt with incidents of the explosion and did not enter into any details as to the transportation of explosives. The government wished evidence mainly as to transportation of dynamite and nitroglycerin over interstate roads and wishes to connect the explosions with the men and the dynamite and how it was carried, and it was to get this evidence in shape that McManigal was asked for another confession. The government's theory is that the crime of dynamiting where the explosive was carried over intostate roads is a continuance of the initial crime against the United States.

This confession will be read to the grand jury, it is understood, and unless the members of the jury wish further information he will be asked very few questions.

DYNAMITER'S "COLD FEET"

Joe Bishop Was to Have Blown Up Los Angeles Hall of Records.

Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 10.—Joe Bishop, a structural iron worker, a friend and co-worker of Bert Connors, swore he was to have been a member of the dynamiting party to blow up the Hall of Records, but got "cold feet" and failed to show up at the appointed time, and then notified the police by telephone of what was going to take place.

Bishop is the first of a number of surprises the prosecution has promised to spring in the case now at issue in Judge Willis' department of the superior court, wherein Bert Conners is on trial for attempting to dynamite the Hall of Records.

WEBSTER TO PLEAD GUILTY

Will Admit Slaying Wife Whose Nude Body Was Found in Woods.

Oregon, Ill., Jan. 10.—Attorney John Erwin anounced that Dr. Harry Elgin Webster will plead guilty to the murder of Bessie Kent, whose nude body was found in the Shorr woods, northeast of Dixon, Ill., Oct. 1.

State's Attorney Emerson was anxious to save the county the expense of a trial, which, he said, might exceed $15,000. Already the expense has been $5,000. He stated, however, that absolutely no agreement as to the extent of punishment had been made, but a life sentence is regarded as probable.

OLLIE JAMES TO SENATE

Kentucky Congressman Advanced by Constituents to Upper House.

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 10.—On the ballot for a successor to United States Senator Thomas H. Paynter, whose term expires in March, 1913, Ollie M. James received 105 votes in the Kentucky legislature yesterday. His Republican opponent, Edward P. Morrow, received twenty-eight votes.

Joint ballot in the house and senate confirming the selection of Representative James was taken today.

Atlanta Isolated by Blizzard.

Atlanta, Ga., Jan. 10.—All records were broken here when the thermometer registered only 18 degrees above zero. The cold wave was accompanied by a blizzard and broke electric light wires, damaged telephone and telegraph lines, and practically isolated the city. Two men are reported dead.

DAILY PRESS PROFITBRINGERS GIVE QUICK RESULTS.

AN INSPIRING TALK

LECTURER PRESENTS SOME INTERESTING FACTS AND IDEAS ABOUT NEWSPAPERS.

Says Yellow Journalism is Most Dangerous foe of Society During the Present Age.

The lecture delivered in Normal Hall Tuesday evening proved to be one of the most interesting heard there in some time and Mr. Blair certainly fulfilled all the expectations of his audience by his enthusiastic and inspiring address on the effect of the press on the people of today.

"What is a newspaper?" asked Mr. Blair, and then he answered it by saying: "Put the accent on the first syllable of the word and you have a flashlight definition. It is a vehicle for the conveyance of information about current events. It is (to change the figure) a literature that is born in a day, and so far as public interest is concerned perishes in a day. It is history written by hundreds of thousands of pens, driven by amateurs, by professionals; by novices, by veterans; by cobblers, by experts; by mediocrity, by genius; by fakirs, by truth-tellers; by the man with the wolf of famine at the door, by the gentleman with plutocratic leisure; by the mental bum, by the intellectual emperor. In the newspaper, idiots, full of sound and fury, and arm-locked with slobbering rhetoric, tell their tale by the side of the philosophical Platos and the gifted Macaulays. No experience, no degree of capacity, no variety of motive are absent from the marvelous workshop whence emanates the newspaper. I know of no other agency that so constantly reflects the conditions, the progress, the aims, the achievements and the hopes of the race as the newspaper."

"I hate the editorial that is spun out to great length, expresses no particular views, and shows that the editor is perched on the topmost rail of the fence, from which he says 'Good Lord, good devil,' to the one that happens to be around.

"Give me the magnificent thrill of the editor who opens his morning mail and finds the letter which shrieks 'Stop my paper!' When he reads that, he knows it is good evidence that he has hit the nail on the head—that he has been successful in making his newspaper a great social force.

"I admire the editor who has spunk enough to administer drastic treatment whenever a great public evil demands it. If you know that some wickedness is going on, why don't you go out and do something.

"Shall the newspaper publish accounts of vice and crime? This question bobs up every now and then in every civilized community, and it cannot be answered offhand, to suit every case. But I declare without hesitation that as a general rule the public press must be free to print the truth about everything that is of public significance.

"Justice needs at her beck all the possible restraining forces, to curb the deeds of men whose motives are evil. The community needs editors and newspapers that cannot be bought and that cannot be intimidated. Shall we publish the facts as to vice and crime? I say, without hesitation, yes.

"One of the most dangerous foes of society today is the yellow journal. What is yellow journalism? It is plain lying. It is the publication of sensational reports, instead of the facts and the truth. It is corruptly using the power of the newspaper for ends contrary to the public morals and public benefit. The honest newspaper will not lend itself to the creature of a false impression. The yellow sheet delights to pander to the low tastes of the lower strata of society. It manufactures its own news, 'just to liven up the paper.' It plays on the passions of the ignorant and uninformed.

"Such newspapers are the cause of international wars and grave social wrongs. Through distorted and exaggerater interviews with public officials they have been known to bring on war among nations, by deliberately inflaming the people by falsehoods. The editors should be put into the penitentiary.

"The real assassin of McKinley has never been arrested. He was the editor who kept up continued talk of assassination, as when he declared, 'The bullet that killed Goebel is now on its way to pierce the heart of President McKinley.' That kind of publication ought to be suppressed, for the public good.

"But yellow readers are the cause of yellow journals. They want to go on a newspaper drunk. They care not for the truth of published statements. You should resolve to buy only the honest and truthful newspaper."

CARD OF THANKS.

Mrs. E. E. Pettibone wishes to thank the friends for their many kindnesses shown and especially Dr. Auer for his care during her recent serious illness.

CHILDREN LIFER'S FRIENDS

Send Him New Year's Greeting and Hope for Pardon.

Cadillac, Mich., Jan. 10. — A movement has been started to secure the pardon of Allen Glassburn, a lifer in Jackson prison, who with his brother Clinton was found guilty two years ago of the murder of Herman Schaufuala of Selma township. A third brother in the family insists that Allen was led into the crime by the threats of Clinton.

Allen was the youngest brother and now is but nineteen years old. The children in the school district with the Glassburns sent him a New Year's greeting wishing him success in his efforts for a pardon. All the children in the town are his friends.

ESTIMATE OF EXPERT IS A BIG SURPRISE

Ann Arbor, Jan. 10—Prof. Gardner S. Williams, the expert employed by the city of Ann Arbor to make a report on the water works plant, presents some interesting figures in an exhaustive report which he has given to the mayor and the city council.

In his opening announcement Mr. Williams states that he finds the value of the plant, business and franchise of the water company to be worth $600,000. He also presents an estimate of the cost of reproducing the physical property of the company, including stores, tools and supplies on hand to be $531,934.

"The report of Mr. Williams," said Mayor Walz this morning, "is certainly a surprise to us. Naturally we expected the water company to ask us a top price for the plant, and when their figures were smaller than the figures fixed by our own expert, it is a source of gratification to us that we have been able to secure such a favorable offer."

In the course of his report Mr. Williams has gone into all of the details with a thoroughness and accuracy which leaves nothing to be desired, and places the mayor and the council in position to deal with the water company in an intelligent manner.

"I find the cost of reproduction of the physical property of the Ann Arbor Water company, new as of December 31, 1911, including stores, tools and supplies on hand, but exclusive of cash on hand and in banks, and bills receivable, to be $531,934.

"I find the present value of the physical property of the Ann Arbor Water company based on the cost of reproduction less depreciation to be $504,873."

GIRL IS FOUND WANDERING ON YPSI STREETS

Mrs. Edith Garnsey, a young woman about 20 years of age and well dressed, was found on the streets in the vicinity of the Normal Tuesday night in a seemingly demented condition. She had called at a number of residences on Cross street and asked to stay all night. She said, also, that she was in search of work. Her peculiar manner, however, created some suspicion that she was slightly unbalanced and an officer was summoned and an order secured from Judge Leland to place her in the psychopathic ward at the University hospital. She was taken there at 11 o'clock Tuesday night.

NEW BANK OFFICERS CHOSEN

D. L. QUIRK, PRESIDENT, C. E. KING AND F. L. GALLUP ARE OTHER OFFICERS.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the First National Bank of Ypsilanti was held at the office of the bank Tuesday, January 9, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 3 p. m., for the election of eight directors for the ensuing year. The directors elected are D. L. Quirk, jr., C. E. King, C. S. Wortley, D. C. Griffin, T. W. McAndrew, B. D. Thompson, G. M. Hull, and H. R. Scovill.

For the coming year the officers of the First National Bank are: President, D. L. Quirk, jr.; vice-president, C. E. King; cashier, F. L. Gallup.

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RICHESON IS TO DIE FOR MURDER

Clergyman Appears in Court and Enters Guilty Plea.

DIES DURING WEEK OF MAY 19

It Is Asserted that Governor Foss May Be Asked to Commute Sentence to Imprisonment for Life.

Boston, Jan. 10. — Clarence V. T. Richeson was given the death sentence.

The minister who confessed the poisoning of Avis Linnell, his former sweetheart, made a plea of guilty of murder in the first degree and judgment was pronounced by Judge Sanderson in the superior court.

Richeson will be electrocuted some time during the week of May 19, 1912.

The prisoner had pleaded not guilty when arraigned after his indictment on the charge of killing Miss Linnell, but following a written confession, retracted that plea.

It is understood that a petition may be made to Governor Foss and the executive council of the state to commute the death sentence to imprisonment for life.

Richeson made no statement. He was in court for only about six minutes. His face was pale, but he was perfectly composed.

He answered formal questions propounded by Judge Sanderson in the simplest possible way, and when asked if he had anything to say, replied:

"I have nothing further to say than my written confession."

Richeson heard the death sentence with little apparent emotion. When brought into court he walked with slight assistance from the officers who escorted him. He was not required to enter the prisoners' cage, but remained standing.

District Attorney Pelletier read the minister's written confession and added that the government had sufficient evidence to have convinced a jury that Richeson was guilty of murder in the first degree. He then said that it became his solemn duty to move for sentence.

Judge Sanderson read the statutes bearing on the case and asked the prisoner if he realized the gravity of his action in pleading guilty, if he had consulted counsel and if he had acted voluntarily. To each question Richeson said "Yes, sir."

The court gave the prisoner every opportunity to realize what his action meant and to make any statement, but the prisoner expressed no desire to make any further explanation of his decision.

The court then pronounced sentence. Richeson immediately was taken back to the city jail.

Standard Raises Oil Prices.

New York, Jan. 9.—The Standard Oil company has announced an advance of 10 points in all grades of refined petroleum, making refined in cases 9.10 cents a gallon, standard white in barrels 7.60 and refined in bulk 4.10.

FORMER STUDENT WEDS

NOW LOCATED IN NASHVILLE, TENN.—MARRIED AT HOME OF BRIDE IN DETROIT

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Mellencamp of Ypsilanti and Dr. and Mrs. F. E. Mellencamp and son of Ann Arbor went to Detroit Tuesday to attend the wedding of Jesse Mellencamp of Nashville, Tenn. and Miss Anna Wagner of Detroit at the family home of the bride at 116 Willis street. The ceremony was performed by an Episcopal rector at half after six o'clock.

Mr. Mellencamp graduated from the Cleary Business College nearly eight years ago and is at present in charge of a branch office of the Oliver Chilled Plow company at Nashville, Tenn. The bride is a daughter of the head of a prominent bakery firm in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Mellencamp will be at home in Nashville, Tenn. after a wedding trip.

WEATHER FORECAST

Generally fair with slightly colder wave.

Temperature at noon, 7 above zero.

TOMORROW NIGHT.

Repetition of Xmas Carols tomorrow night, Thursday, 7:45, in Normal Hall. Admission, 10 cents.

NOTICE.

Meeting of Ypsilanti Poultry Fanciers' Association will be held this evening in Masonic Temple at 7:30 o'clock. All interested in making the show a success, COME.

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THE PEOPLE OF YPSILANTI CANNOT AFFORD TO GRANT ANY GAS COMPANY ANY FRANCHISE IT WILL ACCEPT.

THE PEOPLE SHOULD OWN AND OPERATE THE GAS BUSINESS FOR THEIR OWN PERPETUAL BENEFIT, AND NOT PERMIT A NON-RESIDENT PRIVATE CORPORATION, FOR REVENUE ONLY, TO TRAFFIC IN THEIR NECESSITIES.

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"CITY GOVERNMENT BY COMMISSION."

(Continued)

The provisions of the old mayor and council plan of city government, given by Colonel William R. Nelson of the 'Kansas City Star,' in his article from which Mr. Woodruff quotes extensively in his recent book, are contrasted by Mr. Nelson with the commission form of government, as follows:

"The commission plan provides a government of work every day in the year. When an emergency arises, the municipality can meet it. If there is a complaint on the part of a citizen anywhere, it can be answered and corrected the same day. If there is a street to repair, or a defective catch-basin that overflows the sidewalk somewhere, a telephone call to the city hall is all that is necessary to bring the workmen down to remedy the complaint.

"Under the old ward plan, the council meet perhaps once each week at night. The municipal government is actually at work two or three hours every seven days. If a citizen has a complaint, he must take it to the council at night. The complaint is referred to a committee. The committee meets in another week and refers the complaint to the superintendent of streets. He refers it to a foreman who takes the time to investigate the trouble and refers it back to the street superintendent. The superintendent refers it back to the council committee; the council committee refers it back to the council, where it goes over under the head of 'unfinished business' to another meeting. This of course differs somewhat in different localities; but the general principle prevails throughout all ward and mayor and council plans of city government.

"Commission government does not increase power; it increases responsibility. The commissioners are, as a matter of fact, prevented from the exercise of such powers as granting important franchises, ordering public privileges that belong to the people or filling the public service with political friends to pay political debts at public expense, by the ample safeguards of the referendum, and the civil service.

"The power of a dishonest official to remain in office or one who uses his position in any way to oppose the best interests of the municipality, is also taken away by the wise provision of the recall. The power of the commissioner to defy public sentiment by refusing to enact ordinances such as the people demand is entirely eliminated by the initiative. Yet the legal power and authority to do all these things are not only vested in the mayor and council under the old ward plan but they are exercises to the detriment of good government."

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A CITY GAS INSPECTOR IS NOT THE MAIN ISSUE.

We have heard considerable complaint about the bad quality of gas and alleged incorrect measurement by the meters or the readers thereof. These complaints have been more or less common for years. They seem to have been multiplying somewhat rapidly during the past two years. The people are more or less suspicious. The gas bills run up; the user doesn't discover any greater use of gas than before. He determines to use less and to know just what he does use, as compared with the previous month; the gas bill doesn't go backward. One case we heard of where the party was out of town almost the entire month, but the gas bill footed almost the same. People naturally think there is something wrong.

It might be practically worth while to try this test before insisting on having a disinterested reader of the meter: Insist on reading the meter with the gas company's representative. Write down the readings for permanent reference and see that you and the company's representative agree on the reading. Know what you are doing at the jets hitched to your meter as well as what the meter reads each month and, after you know and the company knows you know—it may make some difference, "don't you know."

But, whether it does or doesn't is not the main issue just now. The Ypsilanti Gas company is organized and operated to get all the money from you it can. And it is asking you to sign an agreement which will require you to WATCH OUT for thirty years to come.

The only practical and self-regulating way to run this business, which enters largely into the high cost of living every living day, in a way satisfactory to you, is for you to own and run it yourself. Suspicion will give way to enlightened self interest. Then when you walk along your streets containing your gas mains as they now contain your water mains and you detect a rank smell of escaping gas, as you may now do, you will then report the leak because it is a leak in the profits of your business. It will then be just as natural for you to save this loss as it now is for the public service corporation to save it by making you pay it, both in your gas bills and in a new and very valuable franchise.

And municipal ownership is recognized as one of the first steps and most necessary steps toward the best and most efficient city government.

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NEWS BRIEFS

STATE

WHITMORE LAKE—Ice equivalent in weight to a string of big passenger locomotives two and a third miles long is cut on Whitmore Lake every winter. The total amount is over 90,000,000 pounds.

NATIONAL

SYRACUSE, N. Y.—Mrs. Adelaide Alsop Robineau of this city has received the highest honor ever awarded a woman for work in art crafts, the Italian government's grand prize for her scarab vase exhibited last summer at the exposition in Turin. It took 10 years of experimenting to complete the vase, which has been pronounced an exact reproduction of the 'true' porcelain made by the ancient Chinese. The vase is 17 inches high and is valued at $5000. The title of the vase is "The Apotheosis of the Toiler," illustrated by a beetle rolling up a ball of food to symbolize the toiler and his work. The vase is made of Texis kaolin and it required one week to glaze it. Mrs. Robineau was a pupil of William M. Chase.

MADISON, Wis.—The formation of a comission form of government to administer the affairs of modern statesis proposed as the result of the activities of the University of Wisconsin in an open letter of C. P. Cary, superintendent of schools.

CLEVELAND, Ohio—There will be built in Shanghai, China, soon two buildings capitalized in Cleveland by the Y. M. C. A. and financed through the philanthropy of 10 Cleveland men. One building will be used especially for the work among the small boys. The other will accommodate the English speaking peoples in Shanghai, of whom there are thousands, all employed as exporters.

WASHINGTON—The flagship Connecticut of the Atlantic fleet will hereafter be independent of any division instead of being a part of the first division.

WASHINGTON—The officers of the newly organized Association of American Indians, formed to secure unity of action on the part of all the tribes in demands for legislation in Congress on Indian questions, announces that Andrew Carnegie has offered to donate $150,000 for the erection of a wigwam in this city for the use of the officers of the association. In addition to quarters for the national officers, the wigwam will contain a large assembly hall and an Indian museum. Forty-eight tribes are included.

CHICAGO—"Buffalo" Jones, former game warden of Yellowstone Park, has returned from hunting in Africa with a lasso. He has lassoed every wild animal in Africa, including the lion rhinoceros, and has stocked several American zoological institutions with specimens of wild animals. He took along a conemotograph machine and operator who obtained pictorial evidence of everything occuring in the lectures Buffalo Jones will give.

WORD COSTS A LEGACY.

Omission of "Sisters" In Banker's Will Bars Niece From Sharing.

Mrs. Henrietta Goodloe of Denver niece of former Banker James Armstrong, will not share in his $1,500,000 estate, according to a decision by Common Pleas Judge Swing of Cincinnati in a suit brought by the trustees to expedite the distribution of the estate.

Her share was lost to her because of the omission of the word "sisters" in the will. The document provided that the property was to be distributed among the heirs of the brothers, nephews and nieces.

Mrs. Goodloe is a daughter of a sister of Mr. Armstrong. Her attorneys held the omission was unintentional.

BABY TO TALK ESPERANTO.

Only the "Universal" Language to Be Taught to Buetler Child.

A girl baby born to Mrs. John Conrad Buetler of Detroit will be educated to speak only Esperanto. Mr. Buetler is one of the leaders in America of the so called universal language. He and his wife use it exclusively when conversing together.

Mr. Buetler is fifty-eight years old. Mrs. Buetler is much younger and is his second wife.

Old Superstitions.

Coral beads formerly were worn around the neck of children to prevent nosebleed. It was also believed that a piece of brown paper placed under the tongue of a child would stop epistaxis.

$14,500,000 SPENT IN FIGHT ON WHITE PLAGUE.

$10,000,000 Already Appropriated For the 1912 Campaign.

The sum of $14,500,000 was spent during the year 1911 throughout the country in the war against tuberculosis, according to a statement issued by the National Association For the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis.

This amount is practically the same as last year's total, but the percentage of public money, such as is received from federal, state, city or county funds, which is 66 per cent for 1911, shows a marked increase over the percentage of the public money appropriated in 1909.

The total sum spent in the United States last year of $11,800,000 went directly toward the treatment of the consumptives in sanitariums and hospitals and the remainder to anti-tuberculosis associations, dispensaries, open air schools, boards of health and other agencies.

New York leads all the other states of the Union in the amount of money contributed toward the war. With the slogan, "No uncared for tuberculosis in 1915," $3,500,000 was raised in the state during the year for the campaign, over $1,000,000 of which represents private charity. Pennsylvania is second, with the contribution of $2,265,000, and Massachusetts third, with $1,108,000.

For the year 1912 appropriations of over $10,000,000 have already been made by the state legislatures and other public bodies.

LEAP YEAR STATUTE.

Made In Leap Year In a Woman's Reign 624 Years Ago.

On the subject of leap year—by the way, this is leap year—the Britannica says pessimistically that "no satisfactory" explanation has ever been offered of the origin of the custom for women to woo and not be wooed one year in every four. But it offers the leap year statute of Margaret, the maid of Norway. Margaret reigned over Scotland from 1286 to 1290, though she died before she could get there. In the year 1288, which was leap year, the following law was passed in her realm:

"It is statut and ordaint that during the rein of hir maist blissit Megeste, for ilk yeare knowne as lepe year, ilk mayden ladye of bothe high and lowe estait shall hae liberte to bespeake ye man she likes; albeit he refuses to talk hir to be his lawful wyfe, he shall be mulcted in ye sum ane pundis or less, as his estait may be, except and awis gif he can make it appeare that he is betrothit an ither woman he then shall be free."

WILL OF 27 WORDS.

Lawyer Wrote It In Hospital on a Prescription Blank.

The will of Robert Candee, a Chicago lawyer, one of the briefest ever recorded in the probate court there, was filed before Philip P. Bregstone. It disposed of personal property valued at $12,000 and names his widow, Mrs. Elizabeth Candee, sole legatee and executrix.

Mr. Candee, who died at the Evanston hospital, was taken ill in his office with appendicitis. His daughter Elizabeth was born a short time before he was stricken. He remembered before undergoing an operation that he had written a will leaving his entire estate to his wife and, fearing that the birth of his daughter would invalidate the will, wrote another, which reads:

"I, Robert Candee, will all my estate to my wife, Elizabeth Candee, and appoint her executrix without bond. This is made notwithstanding the birth of my daughter. ROBERT CANDEE.

The will was written in pencil on a blank of Dr. William D. Alexander.

A NEW ORANGE.

Great Things Predicted For One Developed by a Chinese Fruit Grower.

The Lue Gim Gong is a new orange, originated by a Chinese fruit grower of De Land, Fla. According to a writer in Country Life In America, this new variety is going to revolutionize orange growing throughout that part of the country. It is declared that the fruit has been known to hang on the tree for one, two or even three years and that the tree bears well even when it is still carrying the crop of the previous year. This is not true of most other varieties. It is also said that the fruit can be shipped as early as June, although it is still too acid then. It is good in July, but better in August and September.

"The fruit is full of juice," says the quoted writer, "and hangs on the trees through the rainy summer weather. It can therefore be placed on the market when oranges are scarce and the highest prices can be secured."

$9,000 Paid For Three Foxes.

Probably the highest price ever paid for fur bearing foxes was recorded in the purchase by Charles Dalton, a millionaire fox ranch owner of Tignish, Prince Edward Island, from J. C. Calhoun of Caspe, Que., of three black foxes for breeding purposes, the price being more than $9,000. The sale was made after several fox ranch owners had bid for the animals.

Total Cost of Raising Maine.

General Bixby, chief of army engineers; and Colonel Black, in charge of the work of raising the Maine in Havana harbor, informed the house committee on appropriations that about $250,000 is needed to complete the work. This will make the total cost $900,000.

It Can Be Done.

"You make 30,000 marks a year as aviator? And yet people say you can't live on air."—Fliegende Blatter.

NAGEL ON THE TRUST PROBLEM

Secretary Urges Development of Bureau of Corporations.

FOR MORE FEDERAL CONTROL

Holds Some Degree of Combination Essential—Mere Breaking Up of Trusts Into Parts by No Means Meets the Whole Question, He Says.

"The mere breaking up of large combinations into a number of separate parts by no means meets the whole trust question," says Secretary Nagel of the department of commerce and labor in his annual report.

Secretary Nagel declares that the Sherman law has been proved to be an effective statute beyond all doubt and that a degree of combination of capital is quite necessary, but he adds that the supreme court decisions in the Standard Oil and tobacco cases have demonstrated that the next step in the control of great industrial corporations will be the creation of a permanent federal agency.

How such control shall be exercised, whether by commission, federal incorporation or other means, Secretary Nagel does not definitely say. He favors, however, a development of the powers and scope of the bureau of corporations. He says:

"We must have a permanent authority which shall by steady and continuous supervision and publicity safeguard the public interests and at the same time allow full scope for necessary and proper business efficiency and development.

Bureau of Corporations.

"The recent decisions and reorganizations which followed have made it clear that another imperative step remains to be taken and that this is the establishment by appropriate legislation of a broad system of supervision and publicity for all those industrial and commercial organizations engaged in interstate and international business.

"Whether this shall be done by means of federal incorporation or by a federal office or commission exercising powers of regulation and supervision may be a secondary question. The first consideration appears to be the establishment of permanent administrative publicity, regulation and supervision. The time is peculiarly ripe for such action. Public opinion and the views of many corporation managers are as one."

Secretary Nagel recommends that the bureau of corporations be developed to take up the form of supervision he suggests. It would be but a logical expansion of the bureau's operations and policy, which, he says, have relied solely on publicity for the last eight years and have demonstrated beyond question what a system of permanent supervision can do.

In connection with the immigration service the secretary recommends any amendments to the immigration laws that tend to relieve immigrants of undue hardship without letting down the bars against undesirables. Larger discretion should be lodged with officials, he thinks, to admit unfortunate members of incoming families where it is shown that society would be protected against burden and danger. He recommends also that examinations of immigrants be made before they embark for this country and that the time for deporting confessed criminals also be extended.

Refers to Criticism.

Secretary Nagel refers in passing to recent criticism of the immigration service. He says the bureau has endeavored to obey the general mandate of the law and relieve the individual of hardship wherever the statute allows it.

A very important investigation of the cost of living is now being carried on by the bureau of labor.

"The report promises to provide a basis for intelligent discussion of this mooted question," says the secretary.

PREFERS RUINS TO SOCIETY.

Baltimore Girl More Interested In Archaeology Than In Frivolity.

Miss Lucy Buckler, debutante daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Buckler of Baltimore is planning to give up social life and accompany her parents on their expedition to Asia Minor, where Mr. Buckler will take part in the archaeological studies to be carried on at Sardis.

It is not the custom of archaeologists to have young women as companions on such trips, but Miss Buckler is so interested in the subject that she will spend considerable time there if her health permits. The young woman accompanied her father last year on a similar expedition.

Mr. Buckler and Dr. David Robinson, his companion in the researches, are both affiliated with John Hopkins university. There will be several other scientists in the party. Miss Buckler expects to enter the archaeological department of Oxford university.

Election In Ecuador Jan. 28.

Jan. 28 has been fixed as the date of the election of a successor to President Emilio Estrada, who died on Dec. 22. The polling will end on Jan. 31. The majority of the Liberals give their support to ex-President Leonidas Plaza for the presidential office.

Shows Increased Prosperity.

Twenty years ago the average life insurance policy was for $2,500; now it is more than $3,000.

Economic Wintering of Breeding Sheep

By Professor R. S. SHAW, Dean of Agriculture, Michigan Agricultural College

THE economic wintering of the farm flock is dependent to some extent on their condition at the end of the grazing season and the time at which they have been bred to produce lambs in the spring. If breeding ewes come into the sheds at the beginning of winter thin and weak from scant pasturage or undue exposure or a combination of the two it will require larger quantities of more expensive feed to winter them than if they had been strong and in moderate flesh. When the ewes are bred to lamb before March 1 a long period must elapse before grass is ready, during which an abundance of rich, succulent food must be provided if both ewe and lamb are to thrive.

One of the most common mistakes made is endeavoring to winter ewes with difficult digestible roughage alone, such as timothy hay, straw or cornstalks or some combination of these. Dry, unnutritious fibrous material if fed alone continuously is likely to produce impaction, constipation and other digestive disorders, resulting in serious loss. The feeds named, while dangerous if used alone, are really useful when supplied along with some succulent factor.

Ensilage, roots and legumes, such as clover, pea vine hay, bean straw and alfalfa, all have a laxative effect upon the digestion. From two to three pounds of ensilage daily is a very satisfactory and economical feed for the ewe, while double this amount of roots may be fed safely. If one feed of alfalfa, clover, bean straw or pea vine hay is given daily along with the ensilage or roots, straw or corn stover may constitute the balance of the ration in a satisfactory manner. Grain feeding is not necessary unless the ewes are thin and weak or just prior to lambing time.

It is desirable for the ewes to have access to a pasture which has not been grazed too closely the previous autumn. This will take the sheep out into the open, away from the sheds, during the day, besides furnishing some feed except when snow is too deep. When the ground is covered with snow or ice roughage such as chaff, corn stover or thrashed clover may be fed in racks or even on the ground in a nearby lot or field. The accompanying illustration shows a flock of feeder lambs getting their accustomed noonday picking of unused chaff scattered on an elevated driveway where the deep snow had been driven off and the midday sun lent its bright, cheery and stimulating influences.

WESTERN LAMBS FED AT MICHIGAN AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE.

In good weather sheep like to get away from their pens and relish their rough feed better out of doors.

Tuberculosis In Fowls

CIRCULAR NO. 12, Michigan Agricultural College, Tells How to Fight This Disease

"TUBERCULOSIS IN FOWLS" is the title of circular No. 12 from the laboratory of bacteriology, M. A. C. The disease has been found in chickens both before the publication of this circular and since. It is caused by a variety of the same germ that produces tuberculosis in cattle and consumption in man. The symptoms are gradual emaciation, unthriftiness, anaemia, perhaps lameness, with death after a period of weeks or months. The disease manifests itself in the shape of grayish nodules in the wall of the intestines, liver, spleen and elsewhere. There is no practical means of diagnosis except by postmortem examination. No treatment is possible. Destruction of the entire flock and disinfection, followed by a certain period before the introduction of more birds, are the proper methods to follow. In order to have a positive diagnosis made a live but badly diseased bird should be shipped, express prepaid, to the bacteriological laboratory, East Lansing, Mich. There are a number of other affections that may easily be mistaken for tuberculosis by one not familiar with these diseases. Correspondence covering the history of the case and the flock should accompany the shipment. Circular No. 12 is available for distribution and may be obtained from director experiment station, East Lansing, Mich.

Avian tuberculosis exists to a considerable extent in Ontario, Canada, in Oregon and California and has been found in New York. It has been found in flocks in several counties of Michigan and occasionally in market chickens.

A single illustration will help to emphasize the importance of this disease. In January, 1911, a large flock of mixed Black Minoreas and Brown Leghorns was found in Livingston county badly affected with tuberculosis. In the spring of 1910 this flock consisted of nearly 300 birds. By January, 1911, there were about 160 left. A positive diagnosis was made as a result of the examination of a bird sent to this laboratory.

An arrangement was speedily made whereby 140 birds were killed and dressed and the remainder (those visibly affected) were sent to the laboratory for experimental work. Of the 140 birds killed forty were found to be tuberculous.

The relation of tuberculosis in birds to that in mammals is still an unsettled question, but experiments have resulted in its successful transplantation into rabbits, guinea pigs and a cat as well as pigs. Tuberculosis was found in cattle on the same ranches in California that reported the disease in chickens.

It is true that the prolonged cooking to which fowls are subjected before being eaten surely kills the bacteria, but the housewife or cook upon whom falls the task of drawing the intestines and other viscera is almost sure to contaminate the fingers with tubercle bacteria if the bird is affected. When we remember that ordinary washing of the hands neither kills nor removes all these bacteria it is easy to understand how they may reach the mouth or food that is not subsequently cooked. The tubercle bacteria have also been found in the white of the egg. Fortunately, however, the affected chickens soon cease to lay. The eating of eggs from tuberculous hens raw or only partially cooked, as when the white is left uncoagulated, may result in taking living tubercle bacteria into the body.

The bacteria are very numerous in the diseased tissue, much more so than in human or bovine tuberculosis. They probably leave the body almost entirely through the alvine discharges and enter with the food almost exclusively.

The feeding habits of chickens tend to rapidly spread the disease, and failure to keep pens constantly clean and disinfected increases the chances of infection.

There are a great many affections that may be mistaken by a casual observer for tuberculosis. Especially is this true of diseases of the liver or nodules in other organs. The liver disease may be due to fatty deposits, coccidia or other protozoa, as in black head, pus producing bacteria, fungi or tumors of a malignant nature as cancer.

A very careful microscopic examination is necessary to determine the exact nature of any of these conditions. With any disease it is important to find out early the exact nature of the trouble.

Make Everything Count.

Success in farming consists in making every animal, every seed and every bit of soil count. A good workman is cheap at any price, and a shiftless, careless man is dear if he works for nothing.

Press Profitbringers For Results

THIS YEAR'S AEROPLANES.

Features of New Models Exhibited In Paris Salon.

NO FREAK MACHINES SHOWN.

Green or Slate Color Used With the Object of Making the Aeroplanes Invisible In the Air—Protection Against Rifle Fire.

There are no freak machines on view at the Aviation salon this year, according to the Paris correspondent of the London Daily Mail. There is a marked preference for the fish or torpedo outline. The surface of the wings has decreased, and progress has been made in reducing everything that offers wind resistance. Wood is generally being discarded in favor of steel and aluminium.

Nearly one-half of the aeroplanes shown are green or slate colored, with the object of making them invisible in the air. In several cases the air men are protected against rifle fire.

The attempt made last year in the Paulhan biplane which was acquired by the war office, to obtain flexibility of wing, is repeated this year, though to a less extent, by the biplane shown by the German Albatrosswerke, which, in addition to a wooden chassis of unusual construction, has very flexible edges to its birdlike wings. The fact that there are only fifteen biplanes to thirty-nine monoplanes in the show indicates the predominant position for military purposes at present held by the monoplane, but there is on view more than one biplane which possesses important merits from the military point of view.

Among the latter machines, besides the Albatross, may be mentioned the Savary with its two big tractor screws and the Sloan, which follows in its lower plane the curving of a bird's wings and has big ailerons which are said to give it an exceptional sliding angle. Ailerons (movable panels attached to the edge of the wings), by the way, seem nearly extinct. Even the biplane makers who used to try them in all sorts of shapes appear to have dropped them this year and to rely on warping instead.

Several firms show the impressive engine rooms of airships, and there is one complete airship, the Astra.

SUMMONED PENN'S SONS.

But as They Have Been Dead Century or More They Didn't Appear.

Beyond the shores of the River Styx, the shades of the sons of William Penn probably chuckled derisively when, with punctilious observance of court customs, they were solemnly summoned to appear in common pleas court No. 4, in Philadelphia, in answer to an advertisement which appeared in Philadelphia papers a trifle more than a year ago. The sons of the founder of Pennsylvania certainly did not read the notice. The longest lived of them has been dead about 150 years, says the Philadelphia Press.

After this burlesque-like routine was gone through with and the ancient worthies, yclept Richard and John Penn, who held title to nearly all the land in the state, failed to appear, attorneys for Rudolph W. Birdsell, a property owner, whose land was originally held by the Penns and who under present conditions is supposed to owe the Penns ground rent, moved that the claim of the Penn brothers be made void because they had not appeared to defend their claim.

The unwinding of this voluminous roll of red tape was made necessary by an oversight when the state wiped out the Penn ground rents in 1759. In that year all the land still belonging to Proprietor Penn was bought by the state, and this act in itself wiped out all ground rents on land in Pennsylvania.

Birdsell owns property at 161 North Front street, on which ground rent was supposed to be owing to the Penn heirs. When the ground rents were wiped out no record was made of the redemption of that on Mr. Birdsell's property. The law required that a record of each redemption be made in regular legal form.

Hence John C. Hinckley, attorney for Mr. Birdsell, instituted legal proceedings to repair the defect in Birdsell's title and he summoned the Penn brothers into court to prove that the rent is owing to them. An advertisement was published November a year ago summoning the Penn brothers to appear for this purpose.

Brookline Still the Richest Town.

The Brookline (Mass.) assessor's report for the year just closed shows that the town is still holding its reputation of being the richest town in the world and of being richer by far than thousands of cities. The total valuation of real estate and personal property is $112,270,600, an increase of $6,636,600 over last year's valuation.

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State of Michigan, County of Washtenaw, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for said County of Washtenaw, held at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, on the 18th day of December, in the year one thousand nine hundred and eleven.

Present, Emory E Leland, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Daniel O'Brien, deceased,

Jennie Kniseley, administratrix of said estate, having filed in this court her final account, and praying that the same may be heard and allowed,

It is Ordered, That the 11th day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office be appointed for hearing said account.

And it is further Ordered, That a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said time of hearing, in the Ypsilanti Daily Press, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Washtenaw.

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Spring Lambs	$5.00-$6.00
Veal Calves	$6.50-$8.00
Cows	$2.50-$4.00
Heifers	$4.50-$5.50
Steers	$4.50-$6.00
Hens	9c
Spring Chickens	10c
Turkeys	18c-20c

Produce

(Corrected by H D. Wells' grocery)

Dairy Butter, pound	32c
Eggs	28c
Honey, dark	12c
Honey, light	12c-15c
Potatoes	80c-85c

Ypsilanti Grain Market

(Corrected by Washtenaw Huron Mills)

Oats	44c
Wheat, No. 2, white	89c
Wheat, No. 2, red	91c
Rye	90c

Hides

(Ypsilanti Hide and Leather Co.)

No. 1, cured,	12c
No. 1, green,	10c
No. 1, cured Bull	9¾c
No. 1, green Bull	8¾c
No. 1, cured Veal Kip	12½c

No. 2 Kip and Calf 1½c off.
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No. 1, green Veal Kip	11¾c
No. 1, cured Calf	16¾c
No. 1, green Calf	15¾c

All No. 2 Hides. 1c off.

Chicago Cash Grain Quotations.

Chicago, Jan. 9.
Wheat—No. 2 red, 96@98c; No. 3 red, 94@97c; No. 2 hard winter, 99c@$1.03; No. 3 hard winter, 96c@$1.02; No. 1 northern spring, $1.10@1.12; No. 2 northern spring, $1.07@1.10; No. 3 spring, 98c@$1.02. Corn—No. 3, 60¼@60½c; No. 3 white, 61¼@61¾c; No. 3 yellow, 60¾@61¼c. Oats—No. 2 white, 50@50¾c; No. 3 white, 49¼@49¾c; standard, 49½@50¼c.

Chicago Live Stock.

Hogs—Receipts 25,000. Quotations raned at $6.45@6.60 choice heavy, $6.15@6.35 choice light, $6.25@6.45 heavy packing, and $5.15@5.60 good to choice pis.

Cattle—Receipts 15,000. Quotations ranged at $8.00@8.90 prime steers, $5.40@6.00 choice to prime fed beef cows, $5.00@5.90 good to choice heifers, $5.40@6.10 selected feeders, $3.75@4.40 fair to good stockers, $8.00@8.75 good to choice veal calves.

Sheep—Receipts 24,000. Quotations ranged at $7.00@7.10 choice to prime native lambs, $5.25@6.00 good to choice yearlings, $4.65@4.85 good to choice wethers, $3.85@4.50 fair to good ewes.

Butter.

Creamery, per lb., 36c; prints, 38½c; extra firsts, 32c; firsts, 28@29c; dairies, extra, 31c; firsts, 28c; packing stock, 21c.

Live Poultry.

Turkeys, per lb., 14c; chickens, fowls, 13c; roosters, 8c; springs, 11½c ducks, 13½c; geese, 11c.

East Buffalo Live Stock.

Dunning & Stevens, Live Stock Commission Merchants, East Buffalo, N. Y., quote as follows: Cattle—Receipts 140 cars; market strong. Hogs—Receipts 80 cars; market strong; heavy, $6.80; Yorkers, $6.70@6.80; pigs, $6.60. Sheep—Receipts 90 cars; market steady; top lambs, $7.10@7.75; yearlings, $g.00@5.75; wethers, $4.25@4.g0; ewes, $3.50@3.75. Calves, $5.00@10.50.

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SPORTING NEWS

SKI JUMPERS TO HAVE INNING

National Tourney to Be Held In Cary, Ill., Jan. 27 to 29.

NEW RECORDS ARE EXPECTED

Hill Where Meet Will Be Held Is One of the Best In Country—Best Professional and Amateur Skiers Slated to Compete.

By TOMMY CLARK.

Expert ski jumpers all over the country have been for the past few weeks oiling up their limbs in order to be in first class shape for the coming national tournament to be held in Cary, Ill., Jan. 27, 28 and 29. This event of the old world winter sport in America is always looked forward to by the followers of the daring jumpers, who gather in large crowds to witness the wonderful flights of the sturdy competitors on their wooden runners.

This fascinating winter pastime is extremely popular in Michigan, Minnesota, Wisconsin and a few other western states, and it is expected that skiers from all the states and the Dominion of Canada will be on hand to

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FRANCIS KEMPE, CHAMPION SKI JUMPER OF AMERICA.

set new figures for the long leap that is the magnet that attracts the admirers of this reckless form of sport.

Great preparations have been made to perfect the long slide at Cary so that the daring knights of the spruce blades will have every opportunity to either equal or excel the record figures of 121 feet, made by Francis Kempe at Duluth, Minn., a year ago.

The hill at Cary is one of the finest in the country for the purpose. It will be built up so that it will be 340 feet high, of excellent grades, and the total length of the course will be 750 feet from end to end, making it an ideal course.

These improvements will give the men an opportunity to get up greater momentum, and the moving of the takeoff will afford them a much safer landing place. A feature of the Cary slide that is enjoyed by few others in this country is that the path is sixteen feet wide at the "bump," or takeoff, thus enabling the men to take the jump in their own peculiar manner and not have to follow the beaten track of their predecessors, as is the case in a number of other frozen pathways.

One hundred and twenty-one feet was done at this course at the last meet of the skiers, and it is expected that with the improved conditions several feet will be added to this mark when the lovers of the sport gather for the banner event of the season. There is every reason to believe that the slide will be lightning fast, provided that the weather man is kind and furnishes conditions favorable for fast participation in the sport.

Ski jumping has rapidly forged to the front rank of winter athletics in the western section of this country since its introduction by the Norwegians here not many years ago, and it bids fair to retain the popular favor by reason of its freedom from objectionable features that enter into other sports. The love of victory is firmly installed in the minds of the fearless and shifty followers of the sport, and as the money prizes are comparatively small and the betting conspicuous by its absence there is absolutely no reason for the men not putting forth their best efforts.

No thoughts of holding back enter the mind of a man when he faces a glassy stretch of nearly 300 yards that requires his utmost skill and nerve to slide down at a death defying speed and then exacting a gathering of all his power for the leap that sends him sailing through the air to a safe landing in a snow bank or perhaps a dangerous fall.

As a consequence skiing is slowly earning a well deserved popularity, and from all indications there is every reason to believe that this form of sport will in time become a fixture.

SPICY SPORT CHATS

The baseball sharps have discovered that the Detroit team has allowed many valuable players to slip out of its grasp. Among them are Thomas of the Athletics, Archer of the Cubs, Warhop and Cree of the Highlanders, Kirke of the Boston Nationals, Simmons of next year's Hillmen, Bescher and Suggs of the Cincinnatis and Schaefer of the Washingtons. Yet the Tigers have managed to play winning ball just the same.

Charles Comiskey, president of the Chicago American league ball club, while in New York recently declared that he would not trade Pitcher Ed Walsh for Ty Cobb. "And it is not a matter of sentiment," declared the Old Roman. "Walsh has done more for the White Sox than any one. He is just as good today as he ever was, and he will be a star pitcher for many years to come. It is true that I might as well lock my park as to get rid of this idol, but aside from that I consider this great pitcher the very best baseball asset of this time."

Carl Morris went to Sparrow Robertson's roost recently to be measured for a pair of fighting shoes, and when William had finished his operations with a yardstick the result of his efforts created a sensation.

"Thirteens," said William. "You certainly should be able to get a strong foothold in pugilism."

"Oh," replied Morris, who is not slow at repartee, "I think I may leave a few footprints in the pugilistic sands."

"I trust," rejoined the Sparrow, "that should you ever set your foot down I may not be in the immediate vicinity."

Robertson explained that a thirteen shoe measures exactly thirteen inches, but that the smaller sizes range larger in proportion. A seven shoe, for example, measures ten inches. Therefore, in proportion to his size, Morris' feet are not too large. But they are the most comprehensive pedal extremities in the Queensberry industry.

In picking out the twenty greatest figures in history Andy Carnegie got himself in bad in Detroit and Cleveland and also at Pittsburgh, where the natives think Cobb, Lajoie and Wagner should have been included in the list.

In England there is a wave of protest in boxing circles against the kidney punch. Here in America even the fighters don't like it. Neither do our boxers exactly welcome the right swing to the jaw, the solar plexus blow and the left hand jab.

SAYS EMSLIE'S EYES ARE O. K.

Hank O'Day Ridicules Story of Umpire Bob's Failing Sight.

When one desires to make former Umpire Hank O'Day shake with laughter just mention to him in a casual way that it is said that Bob Emslie's eyes have gone back on him.

Nothing seems so absurd to the new manager of the Cincinnati Reds as to have some one tell him it is time that the National league was putting Emslie on the pension list, as the American league did Jack Sheridan.

O'Day had him for a partner during two months of last season's schedule and found him as efficient in rendering decisions on the bases as any other man in the league.

"I stopped off at Toronto on my way back from the east," said O'Day, "and found Emslie in fine shape. He was just after winning a gun shoot and was wearing a classy diamond medal.

"I watched him shoot one day, and he killed forty out of forty-five birds. Now, that is some shooting. Then they say his eyes are bad. Do you know, I honestly think his work on the bases was the best of the league.

"While we were together there was less kicking made on his decisions than on any other man who worked with me. In fact, there was hardly any. Of course the players yelled, but they never objected strenuously.

"Bob is still a high class umpire, and I do not think it is necessary to put him on the pension list. When they say his eyes are bad they do not know what they are talking about. His eyes surely cannot be bad when he wins a shooting match every fall."

SWIMMERS FROM HAWAII.

George Freeth of Los Angeles Has Two Good Men In Charge.

George Freeth of Los Angeles, for several seasons connected with water polo teams in southern California, is managing two speedy Honolulu swimmers, Duke Kahanamoku and Vincent Ginoves, who have startled the Hawaiian people by their performances.

The former is a sprinter and holds a record of 55 2-5 seconds for 100 yards and has covered fifty yards in 24 1-5 seconds. Ginoves is a star at 440, 880 and mile races. They will be entered in events on the coast.

Playing 18,000 Point Billiard Match.

George Gray, the Australian billiard champion, and H. W. Stevenson are matched to play a series of three 18,000 point games for the championship. The first series is now being played in London. The second will take place at St. George's hall, Liverpool, and the third at Caxton hall, Westminster.

May Form Professional Billiard League

Plans are under way for the formation of an intercity professional billiard league which will be composed of teams from Kansas City, St. Louis, Denver and Chicago.

TWO MEN FIGHT IT OUT ALONE

Tuesday night's contest in the two-man league between Rohn and Cooney and Hayden and Comstock resulted in a victory for the former team, they taking two of the three games.

Rohn was obliged to roll alone as his partner failed to put in an appearance and aided by the bush league exhibition put up by Hayden and Comstock succeeded in taking the first game by 45 pins. At the end of this game Comstock was called away, thus leaving Hayden and Rohn to fight it out alone. Hayden was fortunate in wining the second game by 20 pins but the last game went to Rohn by a large margin as his opponent proved easy picking in this contest, which gave the match to Rohn and Cooney. Rohn made high score for the evening with 193 and also high average with 165. The score in detail follows.

Comstock	116	150	150
Hayden	144	169	149
Totals	260	319	299
Rohn	155	149	193
Cooney	150	150	150
Totals	305	299	343

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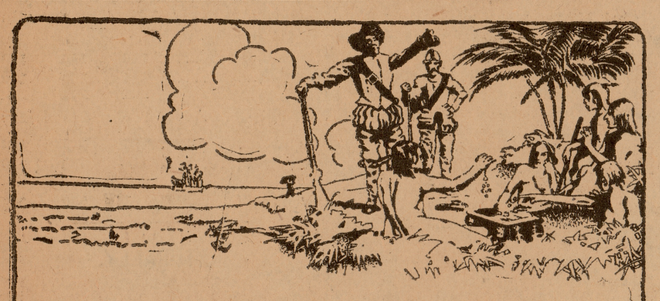

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Society News

Calendar for Thursday, Jan. 11, 1912

Repetition of program of Christmas Carols in Faculty Concert course, 8 p. m., Normal Hall. Soloists: Mrs. Gray, Miss Gilpin, Mr. Kerr.

At Home, M. E. Home Missionary society, 2:30 p. m., Mrs. C. H. Fisk, 413 W. Forest Ave.

Masquerade, Lady Maccabees of Queen City hive, Maccabee hall, Cross St.

Free illustrated lecture on "Early Michigan History," under auspices of Ann Arbor D. A. R., 4:30 p. m., high school auditorium, Ann Arbor.

Rawsonville Helping Hand society, 10:30 a. m., Mrs. D. H. Campbell. Dinner. Election.

Westminster Guild, 8 p. m., Presbyterian chapel.

Service, 7 to 8 p. m., First Baptist church. Topic, "The Great Prayer."

Service, 7 p. m., Presbyterian church. Topic, "A World-Wide Work."

Rural Calendar for Friday, January 12

Cherry Hill Ladies' Aid society, 10:30 a. m., Mrs. Allen Bordine. Dinner.

Willing Workers of Cherry Hill, 7:30 p. m., Misses Christine and Nancy Ableson.

Collegiate Alumnae to Meet.

The regular meeting of the Association of Collegiate Alumnae will be held at 3 o'clock Saturday, January 13, at the home of Miss Mary Goddard, 308 Ballard street, Ypsilanti. A musical program in charge of the Normal Conservatory of Music will be given, Mrs. Annis D. Gray and other well known musicians participating. An A. C. A. luncheon will be given at Normal School of Domestic Science at one o'clock.

Forty at D. of H. Social.

About forty members of the Degree of Honor met at the home of W. W. Keylon Tuesday evening for a social time. Games with prizes, a musical program and refreshments made the evening pass happily. The installation of officers will take place Tuesday, January 23, in the Red Cross room of the Temple. Mrs. Fanny Blacius, of Lansing, Grand Chief of Honor, will be the installing officer.

Home Association Appreciate Gifts.

Nine ladies of the Ypsilanti Home Association attended the regular meeting Tuesday afternoon held at the home of Mrs. C. S. Barrett. During the last month $21 in money has been given out and $26.08 in clothing has been given away. Since the December meeting the Home Association has received gifts of $50 and $10 from generous citizens in Ypsilanti. This aid is especially appreciated when the extreme weather causes so much suffering among the poor people. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. W. J. Clarke.

Woodmen to Install Officers.

A meeting of the Modern Woodmen will be held at their hall Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock. The installation of officers will be held at this time after which refreshments will be served.

Meeting Postponed.

The Stony Creek Arbor of Gleaners did not meet Tuesday evening as first arranged with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Collins. The meeting will take place Friday, Jan. 12, at the same place.

"Bug" Party Thursday.

The next in the series of "Bug" parties will be given at the Country Club Thursday evening. Fischer's orchestra will give the musical program.

Entertains for Guest.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Ward entertained at six o'clock dinner Monday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Rinaldo Wigle of Kingsville, Ont.

Meet at Matthews Home.

The Pleasant Hour Club held its January meeting with Mrs. John Matthews. Mrs. George W. Ross will entertain the club in February.

To Install Officers Thursday.

The Denton Arbor of Gleaners will hold their installation of officers at the home of George Burrell, Thursday afternoon at two o'clock.

Board of Ed. Postpones Meeting.

Because of the stormy weather the board of education postponed its meeting from Tuesday night to Monday night of next week.

Tuesday Bridge to Meet Tuesday.

The Tuesday Bridge club will meet next Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Richard Hurdley.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence House of Detroit were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Milo Tabor in Ypsilanti township.

John A. Baxter of Harriet street is improving in health.

James Crosby has returned from Frankfort, where he has spent the last two weeks.

J. A. Moore of this city has bought a farm near Stony Creek.

E. Seitz is spending a few days at his home at Chelsea.

Word has been received from E. E. Pettibone who left here a few months ago and purchased a farm at Mosley Junction, Va., that the weather is mild and he expects to sow oats by the middle of the month.

George Keeler of Saline spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Schantz.

Miss Amelia A. Schantz of Milan spent the week-end with the Misses Mary and Clara Schantz.

Mayor Towner was an Ann Arbor business visitor Tuesday.

William Coats was an Ann Arbor visitor Tuesday.

Miss Edith Adams, kindergarten supervisor in the Normal Training school, who has been ill in Chicago during the vacation, is suffering from inflammation of the mastoid cells back of the ear, and will be unable to return to Ypsilanti for some time.

Putnam Vose who has been making his home with relatives in the city for the past seven years, has gone to Los Angeles, Calif., to join his father in engineering work.

Miss Ellen Vorce is visiting Mrs. Helen Johnston at Pittsburg, Pa.

J. G. Haviland is quite ill.

Harold Roland, formerly connected with the Ypsilanti Press, was promoted Monday night from the position of night telegraph editor to that of night editor on the Detroit News.

Mrs. Harriet Kimball is spending a short time with friends in Saline.

Mrs. Lois Leetch will leave Saturday for Chatanooga, Tenn., to spend the winter months.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Mellencamp, sr., and Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Mellencamp, jr., of Grass Lake are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Mellencamp of this city.

Rev. C. M. Creighton and his wife and child left Ypsilanti this morning for Delavan, near Chicago, where they will remain until Mr. Creighton regains his health. Their future plans are uncertain further than this.

J. A. Burtis left this afternoon for Jacksonville, Fla. He will visit Cuba before his return and perhaps Texas.

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LONG TRIP HONORS GIVEN

Governor Names Delegates to Colorado and Texas Meetings.

Lansing, Mich., Jan. 10.—The following delegates have been named by Governor Osborn to represent Michigan at the annual meeting of the Colorado good roads conference, to be held in Pueblo, Col., Jan. 11 and 12. A. W. Brown, Grand Rapids; C. H. Osborn, Hastings; P. T. Colgrove, Hastings; H. S. Earle, Detroit; William Bryant, Kalamazoo; N. P. Hull Dimondale; Townsend A. Ely, Lansing.

The following have been appointed delegates to the northern settlers' convention to be held in Houston, Tex., Jan. 17, 18, 19: E. W. Abbott, Detroit; D. H. Day, Glen Haven; Theodore Quinby, Menominee; Thornton A. Green, Ontonagon; Huntley Russell Grand Rapids; A. P. Carton, Lansing; Frank Ward, Charlotte.

WILL RESUME OPERATIONS

Paper and Bag Plant at Petoskey Planning to Start.

Petoskey, Mich., Jan. 10.—It is expected that the mill of the Bear River Paper and Bag company will resume operations March 1. After being silent for two years, the company began making paper at about this time last year, but failed after a few months owing to lack of capital and went into the hands of receivers.

At present $25,000 is being expended for repairs and overhauling and A. B. Mudgett, former manager and one of the receivers, believes the mill will be a permanent industry.

FINDS USURPER IN HOME

Grand Rapids Man Causes Arrest of Wife and Ex-Detroiter.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Jan. 10.—Francis Litchfield, a wealthy lumberman, returned home suddenly from Morley, Mich., and found Stephen Moore running his household.

Litchfield, who was married only six weeks ago, ordered the usurper out. The latter refusing to go, the husband caused the arrest of Moore and Mrs Litchfield. Both are in jail. Moore was formerly a resident of Detroit.

St. Joseph Man Frozen to Death.

St. Joseph, Mich., Jan. 10.—One death here is believed accountable to the severe cold wave. The body of William Moulton, a local character, was found in the men's room in a building on the docks. His body was frozen stiff and it was with difficulty that it could be moved. The features of the man were horribly contracted. It is thought that he had a slight attack of apoplexy and that unable to help himself or call for assistance, froze to death.

Wadhams Man Loses Horses.

Port Huron, Mich., Jan. 10.—Thomas Russell of Wadhams seems to be hoodooed so far as his ownership of horses is concerned. In the last four years Mr. Russell has lost ten horses. Two of the animals were killed by railroad trains, one choked to death one was drowned and the remainder met death from disease. The animals were worth about $2,000.

Burglary at Richmond.

Richmond, Mich., Jan. 10. — C. E. Maxwell's coal office was burglarized and about $7 and a few checks on local dealers stolen. The thief entered through a window, knocking a typewriter off a table and breaking it in so doing. Local talent is suspected.

Council Meets by Candle Light.

Kalamazoo, Mich., Jan. 10. — Gas pipes leading into the city hall froze up and left the council in darkness. The members secured candles and resumed business after a delay of about an hour.

RAILROAD DIRECTORS ELECTED AT A MEETING HERE TUESDAY AFTERNOON

Directors for the Detroit, Hillsdale and Southwestern Railroad company were elected Tuesday at a meeting held in the First National Bank. In order to hold their charter the road is obliged to hold its meetings in Ypsilanti, where the offices of the road are located. The directors elected are as follows: Richard Mortimer, S. S. Palmer, Edwin S. Marston, Frederick Geller, Augustus V. Heeley, Essingham Maynard, Moses Taylor, S. R. Agnew and Samuel Sloan.

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NEWLY ELECTED LEADER IS WELL KNOWN IN YPSI—MEETING FEB. 17

Miss Gertrude Breed, who is well known in Ypsilanti, is the president of the newly organized Ann Arbor Teachers' Club. A meeting will be held in Jackson, February 17, for the purpose of forming a state federation, as was suggested at the recent meeting of the State Teachers' association.

XMAS CAROLS WILL BE REPEATED IN NORMAL HALL TUESDAY EVENING

The program of Christmas carols, heard with so much pleasure about the time of the holidays, will be repeated Thursday evening of this week in response to many requests received by the director, Professor Frederick Alexander. The soloists, as well as the numbers on the program, will be the same as before. Mrs. Annis Gray and Miss Vivian Gilpin of the Normal Conservatory and Mr. William Kerr of Detroit will sing the solo parts. This will be one of the concerts on the course of faculty concerts.

ANN ARBOR MONOPLANE IS CHRISTENED AND MAKES FIRST FLIGHT

Ann Arbor, Jan. 10—In the recent snow storm five engineering students took their monoplane from its place in the engineering department, where it has been building for nearly a year and hauled it through drifts to the hangar south of Ferry Field. Carlyle Fletcher christened the craft and took his place in the seat as the glider soared for the first time. In spite of the cold, the aviator rode 300 feet. The glider went up about 150 feet.

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